

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/067075 Confirmation No. 4068  
Applicant : Toshihiro Omi  
Filed : February 4, 2002  
TC/A.U. : 2878  
Examiner : Stephen K. Yam  
  
Title : EMITTING LIGHT SOURCE APPARATUS FOR USE IN  
OPTICAL ENCODER  
Docket No. : NGB-12970  
Customer No. : 040854

AMENDMENT "D"

(In response to Paper Nos. 0605 and 1005)

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Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated July 6, 2005 and the Advisory Action of October 25, 2005. The three month period for responding to the Office action expired on October 6, 2005. Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended, for one month, to November 6, 2006. The \$120 extension of time fee is enclosed. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

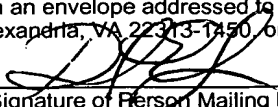
- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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